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January, 2017

The Commission Secretary
Office of the Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12<sup>th</sup> St. SW
Washington, DC 20554

Aloha FCC Commissioners,

Subject: Response to FCC orders on Sandwich Isles Communications, WC Docket No. 10-90
Sandwich Isles Communications (SIC) has been our telecommunications provider for
13 years. I am concerned that your drastic and severe actions threatening our school's ability
to teach using 21<sup>st</sup> century telecommunications. SIC has served our school well since it
began providing service to our rural communities that were by-passed by other telephone
companies. Because of SIC's commitment, our students are able to have state-of-the-art
telecommunications services to advance their knowledge and learning. All industries rely on
computers and the internet in today's society. Without SIC our school would not receive the
high quality service we now enjoy. In addition, SIC's commitment to our community has
provided our school with emergency phones that keep our students safe. No other
telecommunications carrier would provide our school with the necessary technology,
dedication and care that SIC offers. We strongly support SIC and ask that you do the right
thing and maintain its ability to continue its exceptional work to provide telecommunications
services.

Mahalo,

Signature

SIC Subscriber

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CC: Senator Brian Schatz
Senator Mazie Hirono
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Yes

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**School Vision and Mission:** 

Ka Waihona o ka Na'auao creates socially responsible, resilient, and resourceful young men and women, by providing and environment of academic excellence, social confidence and cultural awareness.